

Memo from
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To: Dr I. B. Cohen

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I just recalled your correspondence of 1/27/55, and the discussion on the same subject that appeared in Physics Today. No one seems to have mentioned Lodge there.

Do you have any documentation for that attribution?

I should have thought that Michelson was simply referring to Maxwell.

Sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg

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Michelson's 1894 speech,

uate student of Michelson's back in
1910-1913. Even until the day of
his death, he could hardly believe that
Michelson ever made such a statement,
but the evidence was there in one of
Michelson's publications.

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